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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 17 Mar 93 05:21:29 GMT
From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu
Subject: Connectors for HP-95 computer
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Hi,
Crossposted to info-mac/hams.

Does anybody have a source for the 4 pin connector that is used on
the HP-95 hand held computer? Or a cable with the connector attached?

Please answer to me directly as I am behind in reading the bulletins.

thanx/73,
sid/WB2TNO
sidb@pica.army.mil

Date: Tue, 16 Mar 1993 22:03:56 GMT
From: sdd.hp.com!col.hp.com!news.dtc.hp.com!hpscit.sc.hp.com!hplextra!hpl-opus!
hpnmdla!pazar@network.UCSD.EDU
Subject: Foothill hamfest disappointing
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Randall,

I've been attending the Foothill swap meet for about 13 years...the first one was a few cars in the parking lot with "stuff" in their trunk. Believe me, what you just experienced is quite an improvement!

Try to keep in mind that hams have VERY diverse interests...some will like DX, others digital modes, others EME. The few times my XYL attended she really got a kick out of the lady selling jewlery made out of IC's! The main reason "joe" doesn't sell out there any more is (1) its too expensive, and (2) he doesn't want to get up at 4 AM to guarantee he'll get a spot. I was one of those that would go to rid myself of excess ham stuff, but for the reasons outlined above I only do so once a year sometime in the middle of the season.

I'm originally from "back east", and frequented most of the BIG hamfests out there. Other than Dayton (go if you ever get a chance!), Foothill is one of the best swap meets I've ever been to. I haven't tried Livermore yet by the way. Also, I live in Santa Rosa...2 hours north... and find the drive worth it.

* STEVE PAZAR DoD #702 Kawasaki KZ440A
* E-mail: pazar@hpnmdla.sr.hp.com
* Ether: WA4DUT/6
* " Imagination is more important than knowledge "

Date: Wed, 17 Mar 1993 05:40:58 GMT
From: usc!wupost!crcnis1.unl.edu!news.unomaha.edu!cwis!pschleck@network.UCSD.EDU
Subject: Help wanted building Fixed-Frequency CHU reciever.
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

robert@lunatix.uucp (Robert Sexton) writes:

>Can anybody out there point me to a source for a schematic?
>For those who may not be familiar, CHU is the Canadian time
>standard. Its transmitted on 3330 kHz, 7335 kHz, and 14670 kHz.
>it transmitted in A3H mode (a form of single sideband, I am told)
>I am not a ham, but can handle an iron OK, so a pointer to a
>suitable Receiver IC would be a big help as well. I hope to
>extract time info from the FSK data transmissions.

> Thanks,
> Robert Sexton.
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My Elmers List contains at least one Elmer with experience building CHU
receivers (as well as familiarity with Unix and the Network Time
Protocol). I've included his entry below:

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Nick Sayer <mrapple@quack.kfu.com>	"They robbed from the rich, and gave to
N6QQQ @ NOARY.#NOCAL.CA.USA.NA	the... criminally insane!"
37 19 49 N / 121 57 36 W	--Stimpy
+1 408 249 963[012] (modem)	(The Adventures of Robin
	Hoek)

HF RTTY/AMTOR, Decoding CHU.
VHF Packet
Unix, especially SunOS.

(MC68HC11 Mailing List has moved, mc68hc11-request@elden.cse.nau.edu
is now the place to write to get connected.)

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73, Paul W. Schleck, KD3FU

pschleck@unomaha.edu

Date: Tue, 16 Mar 1993 23:39:54 GMT
From: teaser!email!phenix13@uunet.uu.net
Subject: Icom Ic-H16T
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

I'm searching for a copy of the complete programming notice of the TX/RX Icom I
H16T. It's very important for me, please if you have it, il will be very happy
you could send me by mail in France.

Date: Wed, 17 Mar 1993 10:25:41 GMT
From: munnari.oz.au!metro!csu-net!golum.riv.csu.edu.au!conrad@network.UCSD.EDU
Subject: WANTED - special event stations list..
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Hi,
Im trying to compile a list of special event stations
for our local newsletter and would be grateful of some
pointers or just information on specific stations operating
after late april.
Thanks.. Conrad..:

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Conrad Dare-Edwards E-mail: conrad@silos.riv.csu.edu.au
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Charles Sturt University - Riverina VK2MLQ

Date: 17 Mar 1993 04:21:37 GMT
From: ucsd.edu!brian@network.UCSD.EDU
Subject: Washing Radios?
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

I used to run G.E. Pre-Prog mobile radios through the dishwasher, then
bake them dry in our electric oven. Other than having to relubricate
the coil slugs, I never had a problem.

I doubt if modern radios can take that kind of treatment.
- Brian

Date: Wed, 17 Mar 1993 06:07:16 GMT
From: news.Hawaii.Edu!uhunix.uhcc.Hawaii.Edu!jherman@ames.arpa
Subject: What about those FAQing number stations anyway?
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

In article <1o4468INN6rh@fbi-news.Informatik.Uni-Dortmund.DE>
thewes@gamma.informatik.uni-dortmund.de (Berthold Thewes) writes:
>>My turn to ask the eternal question: What is it with these number
>>stations anyway? The one I heard recently was at about 5.165MHz
>>USB, in the evening hours, with a female voice reciting 5-digit
>>groups in German. The voice was voice samples played back by
>>computer. "Zero" was used instead of "Null" (0) and a word like
>>"Fuelle" was used instead of "Fuenf" (5). Transmissions were
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>They say "Fuennef" (you see the similarity to "Fuenf"?). But I don't
>know the reason why, perhaps they think this will make it clearer to
>understand.

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>>bracketed by "Achtung" (Attention) and "Ende" (End). Each 5-digit
>>group was recited twice making it almost foolproof to copy even
>>if the reception was bad. Not a one-time occurrence either; I
>>heard it a year ago too!

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>Greetings Berthold DL3YEI

Similar to saying "fiver" for the word "five" when reading code
groups in English, maybe??

Jeffrey NH6IL

Date: 17 Mar 93 10:42:49 GMT

From: pipex!doc.ic.ac.uk!uknet!uos-ee!ee.surrey.ac.uk!M.Willis@uunet.uu.net

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

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<930314.231433.6o1.rusnews.w165w@garlic.sbs.com>,
<1993Mar15.221142.2439@netcom.com>

Subject : Re: Kenwood TH78A vs. Alinco DJ580

|> system@garlic.sbs.com (Anthony S. Pelliccio) wrote:

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|> >A 580T would crack like an egg if you put 100 lbs on it, let alone a

|> >car.

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|> Eggs are pretty tough you know.

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